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PROCLAMATION OF REGISTRATION DAY

[Released to the press by the White House]

REGISTRATION DAY

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF
AMERICA

A Proclamation

WHEREAS the Congress has enacted and I have this day approved the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940,¹ which declares that it is imperative to increase and train the personnel of the armed forces of the United States and that in a free society the obligations and privileges of military training and service should be shared generally in accordance with a fair and just system of selective compulsory military training and service; and

WHEREAS the said Act contains, in part, the following provisions:

"SEC. 2. Except as otherwise provided in this Act, it shall be the duty of every male citizen of the United States, and of every male alien residing in the United States, who, on the day or days fixed for the first or any subsequent registration, is between the ages of twenty-one and thirty-six, to present himself for and submit to registration at such time or times and place or places, and in such manner and in such age group or groups, as shall be determined by rules and regulations prescribed hereunder.

"SEC. 5. (a) Commissioned officers, warrant officers, pay clerks, and enlisted men of the Regular Army, the Navy, the Marine Corps, the Coast Guard, the Coast and Geodetic Survey, the Public Health Service, the federally recognized active National Guard, the Officers'

Reserve Corps, the Regular Army Reserve, the Enlisted Reserve Corps, the Naval Reserve, and the Marine Corps Reserve; cadets, United States Military Academy; midshipmen, United States Naval Academy; cadets, United States Coast Guard Academy; men who have been accepted for admittance (commencing with the academic year next succeeding such acceptance) to the United States Military Academy as cadets, to the United States Naval Academy as midshipmen, or to the United States Coast Guard Academy as cadets, but only during the continuance of such acceptance; cadets of the advanced course, senior division, Reserve Officers' Training Corps or Naval Reserve Officers' Training Corps; and diplomatic representatives, technical attaches of foreign embassies and legations, consuls general, consuls, vice consuls, and consular agents of foreign countries, residing in the United States, who are not citizens of the United States, and who have not declared their intention to become citizens of the United States, shall not be required to be registered under section 2 and shall be relieved from liability for training and service under section 3 (b)."

"SEC. 10 (a) The President is authorized—
(1) to prescribe the necessary rules and regulations to carry out the provisions of this Act;"

"(4) to utilize the services of any or all departments and any and all officers or agents of the United States and to accept the services of all officers and agents of the several States, Territories, and the District of Columbia and subdivisions thereof in the execution of this Act;"

¹ Public, No. 783, 76th Cong., 3d sess.
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"SEC. 14 (a) Every person shall be deemed to have notice of the requirements of this Act upon publication by the President of a proclamation or other public notice fixing a time for any registration under section 2."

NOW, THEREFORE, I, FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT, President of the United States of America, under and by virtue of the authority vested in me by the aforesaid Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, do proclaim the following:

1. The first registration under the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940 shall take place on Wednesday, the sixteenth day of October, 1940, between the hours of 7 A. M. and 9 P. M.

2. Every male person (other than persons excepted by Section 5 (a) of the aforesaid Act) who is a citizen of the United States or an alien residing in the United States and who, on the registration date fixed herein, has attained the twenty-first anniversary of the day of his birth and has not attained the thirty-sixth anniversary of the day of his birth, is required to present himself for and submit to registration. Every such person who is within the continental United States on the registration date fixed herein shall on that date present himself for and submit to registration at the duly designated place of registration within the precinct, district, or registration area in which he has his permanent home or in which he may happen to be on that date. Every such person who is not within the continental United States on the registration date fixed herein shall within five days after his return to the continental United States present himself for and submit to registration. Regulations will be prescribed hereafter providing for special registration of those who on account of sickness or other causes beyond their control are unable to present themselves for registration at the designated places of registration on the registration date fixed herein.

3. Every person subject to registration is required to familiarize himself with the rules and regulations governing registration and to comply therewith.

4. The times and places for registration in Alaska, Hawaii, and Puerto Rico will be fixed in subsequent proclamations.

5. I call upon the Governors of the several States and the Board of Commissioners of the District of Columbia to provide suitable and sufficient places of registration within their respective jurisdictions and to provide suitable and necessary registration boards to effect such registration.

6. I further call upon all officers and agents of the United States and all officers and agents of the several States and the District of Columbia and subdivisions thereof to do and perform all acts and services necessary to accomplish effective and complete registration; and I especially call upon all local election officials and other patriotic citizens to offer their services as members of the boards of registration.

7. In order that there may be full cooperation in carrying into effect the purposes of said Act, I urge all employers, and government agencies of all kinds—Federal, State and Local—to give those under their charge sufficient time off in which to fulfill the obligation of registration incumbent on them under the said Act.

America stands at the crossroads of its destiny. Time and distance have been shortened. A few weeks have seen great nations fall. We cannot remain indifferent to the philosophy of force now rampant in the world. The terrible fate of nations whose weakness invited attack is too well known to us all.

We must and will marshal our great potential strength to fend off war from our shores. We must and will prevent our land from becoming a victim of aggression.

Our decision has been made.

It is in that spirit that the people of our country are assuming the burdens that now become necessary. Offers of service have flooded in from patriotic citizens in every part of the nation, who ask only what they can do to help. Now there is both the opportunity and the need for many thousands to assist in listing the names and addresses of the millions who will

enroll on registration day at school houses, polling places, and town halls.

The Congress has debated without partisanship and has now enacted a law establishing a selective method of augmenting our armed forces. The method is fair, it is sure, it is democratic—it is the will of our people.

After thoughtful deliberation, and as the first step, our young men will come from the factories and the fields, the cities and the towns, to enroll their names on registration day.

On that eventful day my generation will salute their generation. May we all renew within our hearts that conception of liberty and that way of life which we have all inherited. May we all strengthen our resolve to hold high the torch of freedom in this darkening world so that our children and their children may not be robbed of their rightful inheritance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Washington this sixteenth day of September in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty, [SEAL] and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and sixty-fifth.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

By the President:

CORDELL HULL,

Secretary of State.

[No. 2425]

PROCLAMATION OF GENERAL PULASKI'S MEMORIAL DAY

[Released to the press by the White House]

GENERAL PULASKI'S MEMORIAL DAY

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF
AMERICA

A Proclamation

WHEREAS, in a world seared by the ravaging hand of war and oppression, we Americans are

increasingly grateful for the Republic which our fathers built on principles of freedom and equality; and

WHEREAS the valiant struggle to win American independence was advanced by the bravery of General Casimir Pulaski, a Pole who hated tyranny and who fought fiercely by the side of American patriots until he was wounded unto death, October 9, and drew his last breath on October 11, 1779; and

WHEREAS Public Resolution 76 of the Seventy-sixth Congress, approved on June 6, 1940, provides:

"That the President of the United States of America is authorized to issue a proclamation calling upon officials of the Government to display the flag of the United States on all governmental buildings on October 11, 1940, and inviting the people of the United States to observe the day in schools and churches, or other suitable places, with appropriate ceremonies in commemoration of the death of General Casimir Pulaski."

NOW, THEREFORE, I, FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT, President of the United States of America, do hereby call upon officials of the Government to display the flag on Government buildings on October 11, 1940, and I invite the people of the United States to participate in the observance of that day as General Pulaski's Memorial Day with appropriate ceremonies in schools and churches, or other suitable places.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States of America to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Washington this eighteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty, [SEAL] and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and sixty-fifth.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

By the President:

CORDELL HULL

Secretary of State.

[No. 2427]

American Republics

ANNIVERSARY OF INDEPENDENCE OF CENTRAL AMERICAN REPUBLICS

Statement by the Secretary of State

[Released to the press September 15]

It gives me great pleasure to send a message at this time to the republics of Central America on the occasion of the anniversary of their independence. I can recall no time in their history when the countries of the Western Hemisphere were justified in celebrating with greater gratitude the privileges bestowed by liberty on the citizens of free nations.

Events during recent months have emphasized anew how essential to our joint interest and defense is the maintenance of the very close and cordial relations existing among all the American republics and the continuing development of those relations in effective day-

to-day collaboration in matters of common concern. The Meeting of Foreign Ministers in Habana last July constituted a notable milestone in the progress of practical cooperation, to which none contributed more loyally than the distinguished representatives of the five republics whose independence is celebrated today.

The peoples and Governments of Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Nicaragua need no assurance on this their anniversary as independent nations of the sincerity of the good wishes of the United States and of all the Americas for their continued welfare, progress, and happiness.

INTER-AMERICAN MARITIME CONFERENCE

[Released to the press September 17]

The President has approved the designation of the Honorable Henry F. Grady, Assistant Secretary of State, and the Honorable Max O'Rell Truitt, Commissioner, United States Maritime Commission, as this Government's delegates to the Inter-American Maritime Conference, which will convene in Washington, D. C., on October 2, 1940 under the auspices of the Inter-American Financial and Economic Advisory Committee.

It will be recalled that the Advisory Committee was created pursuant to a resolution of the First Meeting of the Foreign Ministers of the American Republics held in Panamá in September 1939 and that since its installation at the Pan American Union the following November, has met at frequent intervals to consider various problems of a financial and economic character. One of the questions which has received the attention of the Committee is

the effect of present hostilities in Europe upon inter-American shipping. The Committee has deemed it advisable to hold a special meeting of Government experts in the field of shipping in order to facilitate a comprehensive review of the subject. In consequence, the Committee has issued invitations to the governments of the 21 American republics to be represented at this special meeting, which will convene in Washington on the above-noted date.

The Committee included in its invitations the suggestion that each government arrange for the attendance, in a consultative capacity, of representatives of shipping companies of each country. In accordance with this suggestion, which has been incorporated in the regulations of the Conference, this Government has issued invitations to shipping interests in the United States engaged in inter-American trade to participate in the meeting.

Traffic in Arms, Tin-Plate Scrap, etc.

MONTHLY STATISTICS

[Released to the press September 21]

NOTE: The figures relating to arms, the licenses for the export of which were revoked before they were used, have been subtracted from the figures appearing in the cumulative column of the table below in regard to arms export licenses issued. These latter figures are therefore net figures. They are not yet final and definitive since licenses may be amended or revoked at any time before being used. They are, however, accurate as of the date of this press release.

The statistics of actual exports in these releases are believed to be substantially complete. It is possible, however, that some shipments are not included. If this proves to be the fact, statistics in regard to such shipments will be included in the cumulative figures in later releases.

ARMS EXPORT LICENSES ISSUED

The table printed below indicates the character, value, and countries of destination of the arms, ammunition, and implements of war licensed for export by the Secretary of State during the year 1940 up to and including the month of August:

Country of destination	Category	Value of export licenses issued	
		August 1940	8 months ending August 31, 1940
Albania.....	IV (1)		\$57.00
Angola.....	I (4)		24.00
	V (1)		3,200.00
	(2)		630.00
Total.....			3,854.00
Argentina.....	I (2)		24,095.50
	(4)		5,415.00
	(5)		2,300.00
	III (2)		5,141.84
	IV (1)	\$2,300.00	10,062.00
	(2)		6,481.00
	V (1)		40,025.00
	(2)	5,039.00	176,701.71
	(3)		40,937.50
	VII (1)		29.84
	(2)	5,410.00	93,371.51
Total.....		12,749.00	404,560.90

Country of destination	Category	Value of export licenses issued	
		August 1940	8 months ending August 31, 1940
Australia.....	I (1)	\$194.00	\$693.12
	(4)	27.14	561.23
	III (1)		1,509,520.00
	(2)		13,680.00
	IV (1)		271.55
	(2)		509.00
	V (1)		25,648.00
	(2)	12,832.00	870,569.25
	(3)		2,084,705.00
	VII (1)		33,474.86
Total.....		13,053.14	4,539,632.01
Bahrain Islands.....	IV (1)		136.00
Belgian Congo.....	I (4)		17.29
	IV (2)		1.87
Total.....			19.16
Belgium.....	I (1)		217.00
	(2)		103,200.00
	(4)		28,779.00
	III (1)		2,292,000.00
	IV (2)		69.00
	V (1)		20,745.00
	(2)		243,957.00
	(3)		419,400.00
Total.....			3,108,367.00
Bermuda.....	I (4)		16.00
	IV (1)		84.70
	(2)	39.84	74.84
	V (1)		8,000.00
	(2)	5,000.00	5,000.00
Total.....		5,039.84	13,175.54
Bolivia.....	I (4)	50.00	1,753.00
	IV (2)		1,285.00
	V (1)		6,500.00
	(2)		64.60
	(3)		45,384.00
	VII (1)		1,953.68
	(2)		1.50
Total.....		50.00	56,941.78
Brazil.....	I (1)	786.00	1,773.00
	(2)		5,438.00
	(3)	1,897,325.00	1,897,325.00
	(4)	822.00	6,780.00
	III (1)		978,200.00

Country of destination	Category	Value of export licenses issued	
		August 1940	8 months ending August 31, 1940
Brazil—Continued.			
	IV (1)	\$15,401.00	\$34,713.75
	(2)	2,902.00	24,544.14
	V (1)	105,800.00	657,453.00
	(2)	7,121.00	110,584.86
	(3)	7,000.00	285,009.50
Total.....		2,037,157.00	4,001,821.25
British Guiana.....	IV (2)		6.82
	V (1)		2,500.00
	(3)		2,500.00
	VII (1)		1,108.84
	(2)	1,680.00	1,680.00
Total.....		1,680.00	7,795.66
British Honduras.....	I (4)		12.00
	IV (2)	18.69	98.69
	VII (1)		129.20
	(2)		108.30
Total.....		18.69	348.19
British North Borneo.....	I (4)		2.43
Burma.....	I (2)		400.00
	(4)		133.54
	IV (1)		755.25
	(2)		136.00
Total.....			1,424.79
Canada.....	I (1)	135,164.66	777,370.84
	(2)	76,440.00	180,938.97
	(3)		40,668.00
	(4)	59,535.04	377,585.05
	(5)		90,154.00
	III (1)	346,750.00	19,360,344.00
	(2)		4,141.00
	IV (1)	39,315.34	52,368.90
	(2)	500.51	51,559.35
	V (1)		347,976.57
	(2)	86,062.82	8,762,994.72
	(3)	1,303,901.48	12,154,150.09
	VI (2)	45.00	36,053.00
	VII (1)	26,606.67	142,266.52
	(2)	92.92	44,332.67
Total.....		2,074,414.44	42,422,903.68
Chile.....	I (2)	70.00	3,040.00
	(4)	27,741.28	37,271.28
	(5)		5,450.00
	(6)		3,630.00
	III (1)	409,560.00	409,560.00
	IV (1)	719.00	53,069.00
	(2)	1,907.60	7,391.86
	V (1)		3,500.00
	(2)		3,407.50
	(3)		30,535.00
	VII (1)		15.00
	(2)		12,607.15
Total.....		439,997.88	569,476.78

Country of destination	Category	Value of export licenses issued	
		August 1940	8 months ending August 31, 1940
China	I (2)		\$352,440.00
	III (1)		2,529,106.22
	(2)		137,950.10
	IV (1)		178.60
	(2)	\$3,221.71	3,226.71
	V (1)		156,800.00
	(2)	193,300.00	2,548,480.63
	(3)		2,196,953.35
	VII (1)		1,018,225.56
	(2)		361,000.00
Total		196,521.71	9,304,363.17
Colombia	I (1)		30.00
	(4)		157.00
	IV (1)	293.00	2,310.99
	(2)		667.76
	V (1)		333,750.00
	(2)	9,975.00	12,787.00
	(3)	13,500.00	60,996.00
	VII (1)		1,027.31
	(2)	2,940.00	4,903.00
Total		26,708.00	416,628.97
Costa Rica	I (4)		4.00
	IV (1)	985.00	1,122.30
	(2)	63.00	199.25
	V (1)		25,000.00
	(2)		2,967.62
	(3)		13,104.70
	VII (1)	155.60	1,801.86
Total		1,203.60	44,199.73
Cuba	I (2)	73.00	143.00
	(4)	20.00	131,164.00
	IV (1)		3,315.50
	(2)	29.00	9,262.00
	V (1)	6,000.00	7,700.00
	(2)		4,500.00
	(3)		2,000.00
	VII (1)	129.20	3,135.00
	(2)		751.00
Total		6,251.20	161,960.50
Curaçao	I (1)		585.00
	(4)		77.39
	IV (1)	639.00	1,293.50
	(2)	581.62	596.26
	V (1)		105,159.00
	(2)	6,737.50	8,536.26
	(3)		57,950.00
	VII (2)	5.00	22.50
Total		7,763.12	174,219.91
Denmark	V (3)		2,040.00
Dominican Republic	I (2)	210.00	210.00
	IV (1)	1,529.00	2,396.00
	(2)		843.00

Country of destination	Category	Value of export licenses issued	
		August 1940	8 months ending August 31, 1940
Dominican Republic—Con.	V (2)		\$600.00
	VII (1)		1,501.80
Total		\$1,739.00	5,530.80
Ecuador	I (1)	38.80	208.52
	(4)		201.00
	IV (1)		156.00
	(2)	666.00	19,149.00
	V (2)		1,022.00
	VII (1)		225.00
	(2)		900.00
Total		704.80	21,862.52
Egypt	I (2)		837.50
	(3)		3,310.00
	(4)		1,680.21
	IV (1)	50,000.00	50,388.00
	(2)		752.31
	V (1)		16,993.00
	(2)		60.00
Total		50,000.00	74,021.02
El Salvador	I (1)		125,052.00
	(4)		1,111.00
	III (1)		18,200.00
	IV (1)		76.00
	(2)		6,460.00
	V (2)		375.00
	VII (2)		8,350.00
Total			159,624.00
Fiji	I (4)	81.42	81.42
Finland	I (2)		19,660.00
	(3)		538,599.60
	(4)		3,806,493.89
	IV (1)		951.50
	(2)	141.02	141.02
	V (2)	15,680.00	42,463.25
	VII (2)	75,000.00	640,900.00
Total		90,821.02	5,049,179.26
France	I (1)		201,488.00
	(2)		4,842,295.71
	(3)		506,795.00
	(4)		7,321,950.50
	(5)		499,000.00
	III (1)		28,111,023.00
	(2)		10,337.00
	IV (1)		30.00
	(2)		376,315.00
	V (1)		546,000.00
	(2)		11,950,423.01
	(3)		1,644,697.00
	VII (1)		2.00
	(2)		55,593.00
Total			56,066,949.22

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Country of destination	Category	Value of export licenses issued	
		August 1940	8 months ending August 31, 1940
French Indochina	I (1)		\$78.50
	(4)		51.00
	IV (1)		3,836.00
	(2)		11.00
	V (1)		125,000.00
	(2)		6,875.00
	(3)		21,554.00
Total			157,406.10
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	I (1)	\$1,060.00	5,531,430.00
	(2)	1,806,822.50	19,217,025.94
	(3)		3,598,126.52
	(4)	7,271,361.98	35,919,888.88
	(5)	12,000,000.00	12,494,177.10
	III (1)	43,128,341.00	218,592,019.85
	(2)	25,189.34	127,923.14
	IV (1)	32,677.00	1,112,527.36
	(2)	5,574.00	2,745,295.76
	V (1)		61,075.00
	(2)	16,850,367.38	22,113,096.19
	(3)	15,206,084.88	36,044,631.00
	VII (1)	360,135.00	9,260,303.94
	(2)	3,350,000.00	5,473,039.80
Total		100,037,613.08	372,280,560.48
Greece	I (3)		150.00
	(4)		50.00
	(5)		90,900.00
	IV (1)		21.00
Total			91,121.00
Greenland	I (1)		1,015.48
	(2)		578.30
	(3)		6,674.65
	(4)		1,731.57
	IV (1)	540.00	540.00
	(2)	105.00	105.00
Total		645.00	10,645.00
Guatemala	IV (1)		186.00
	(2)		1,340.00
	VII (1)		226.80
	(2)		5,164.00
Total			6,916.80
Haiti	IV (1)	244.80	1,609.85
	(2)		23.00
	V (1)		7,000.00
	VII (1)		24.30
Total		244.80	8,657.15
Honduras	I (4)		432.00
	IV (1)		388.00
	(2)		1,528.00
	V (1)	10,000.00	10,000.00
	(2)		4,238.00
	VII (2)		131.00
Total		10,000.00	16,717.00

Country of destination	Category	Value of export licenses issued	
		August 1940	8 months ending August 31, 1940
Hong Kong.....	I (1)	\$23.00	\$2,040.75
	(2)	938.00	938.00
	(4)	680.00	1,803.10
	IV (1)		7,363.00
	(2)		67.75
	V (2)		22,832.00
	(3)		24,750.00
	VI (2)		120.00
Total.....		1,641.00	59,914.60
Iceland.....	IV (1)		1,920.00
	(2)		374.00
	V (1)		7,890.00
	(2)		763.00
	VII (2)		65.00
Total.....			11,012.00
India.....	I (1)		3,437.39
	(4)		7,326.87
	IV (1)		3,678.64
	(2)		780.55
	V (1)		67,500.00
	(2)	163.00	1,469.40
	(3)		1,000.00
	VI (2)	2,586.00	3,468.00
Total.....		2,749.00	88,660.85
Iran.....	I (2)		37,500.00
	III (1)		760,000.00
	V (1)		112,000.00
Total.....			909,500.00
Iraq.....	I (2)	47,865.00	47,865.00
	III (2)		27,165.00
	V (2)	148,000.00	148,000.00
Total.....		195,865.00	223,030.00
Ireland.....	V (1)		235,503.00
	(2)		3,270.60
	(3)		33,380.00
Total.....			272,153.60
Italy.....	V (2)		13,610.00
Jamaica.....	IV (1)		123.00
	(2)		41.45
Total.....			164.45
Kenya.....	I (1)		107.00
	(4)		60.00
	IV (1)	516.00	714.00
	(2)		35.00
Total.....		516.00	916.00
Leeward Islands.....	VII (2)		162.45

Country of destination	Category	Value of export licenses issued	
		August 1940	8 months ending August 31, 1940
Macau.....	I (2)		\$555.00
Mauritius.....	I (4)		137.00
Mexico.....	I (1)	\$86.55	220.75
	(4)	30.26	30.26
	(5)		112.50
	IV (1)	1,787.30	16,037.30
	(2)	547.20	1,023.20
	V (1)	32,550.00	438,682.40
	(2)	88.00	7,443.40
	(3)	1,000.00	38,255.00
	VI (2)	63.00	175.50
	VII (1)		8,040.25
	(2)	8,825.00	49,737.00
Total.....		44,977.31	559,757.56
Mozambique.....	I (1)		116.00
	(4)		154.61
	V (1)		282,000.00
	(2)		17,144.00
	(3)		55,710.00
Total.....			355,124.61
Netherlands.....	I (2)		12,866.00
	(4)		47.50
	(5)		155.00
	V (2)		17,942.19
	(3)		63,300.00
Total.....			94,310.69
Netherlands Indies.....	I (2)	3,375,900.00	3,447,950.00
	(3)	975,000.00	975,000.00
	(4)	3,031,752.90	3,032,411.64
	(5)	1,384,400.00	2,304,600.00
	III (1)	782,868.00	6,399,118.10
	(2)		9,081.90
	IV (1)	5,689.80	68,321.65
	(2)	13,103.90	19,792.93
	V (1)		622,056.12
	(2)	2,487.50	211,777.50
	(3)	208,750.00	441,260.79
	VII (1)		338.80
	(2)	160,749.30	160,749.30
Total.....		9,940,701.40	17,692,458.73
New Caledonia.....	I (4)		923.82
Newfoundland.....	I (1)	13.05	131.55
	(4)	868.48	1,168.72
	IV (1)	12.50	1,946.62
	(2)	157.90	398.22
Total.....		1,051.93	3,645.11
New Guinea, Territory of.....	IV (2)		17.25
	V (2)		1,250.00
Total.....			1,267.25
New Zealand.....	I (4)		266,750.00
	III (1)		1,916,870.00

Country of destination	Category	Value of export licenses issued	
		August 1940	8 months ending August 31, 1940
New Zealand—Continued.	IV (1)		\$202.00
	V (2)		161,527.45
	(3)		130,230.00
	VII (1)		11,045.00
Total			2,486,624.45
Nicaragua	I (1)		62,500.00
	(2)		9,000.00
	IV (1)	\$25.00	25.00
	V (2)		480.00
	(3)		870.00
	VII (1)		1,292.00
Total		25.00	74,167.00
Nigeria	I (2)		278.50
	(4)		21.00
	IV (1)		30.25
	(2)		89.04
Total			418.79
Northern Rhodesia	IV (1)		25.50
Norway	I (1)		70.00
	(2)		450.00
	(4)		36,545.00
	III (1)		712,000.00
	(2)		280.00
	IV (1)		222.00
	(2)		121.00
	V (1)		2,200.00
	(2)		39,604.00
	(3)		1,515.00
Total			793,007.00
Palestine	V (3)	1,000.00	1,400.00
Panama	I (1)		12,500.00
	(2)		3,900.00
	(4)		6,600.00
	IV (1)		8,804.75
	(2)		1,207.00
	V (1)		27,866.00
	(2)	100.00	174.00
	(3)	800.00	1,380.00
	VII (1)		2,262.46
	(2)	728.00	728.00
Total		1,628.00	65,422.21
Paraguay	I (4)		384.80
	IV (2)		12,150.45
Total			12,535.25
Peru	IV (1)		7,550.90
	(2)		240.00
	V (1)		393,138.50
	(2)	5,694.58	11,455.58
	(3)	24,457.00	86,666.00

Country of destination	Category	Value of export licenses issued	
		August 1940	8 months ending August 31, 1940
Peru—Continued.	VII (1)	\$1,140.00	\$2,140.00
	(2)		1,130.50
Total		31,291.58	502,321.48
Portugal	I (1)		51.80
	(4)		44.00
	III (1)		103,446.00
	IV (1)		30.00
	(2)		422.00
	V (1)		4,300.00
	(2)	2,720.00	77,939.94
	(3)		66,125.00
	VII (1)		841.76
	(2)	17,000.00	71,000.00
Total		19,720.00	324,200.50
Rumania	V (2)		2,500.00
Saudi Arabia	I (1)		260.00
	V (2)		760.00
Total			1,020.00
Southern Rhodesia	I (1)		495.60
	(2)		227.50
	(4)	184.46	645.56
	IV (1)	209.30	317.30
	(2)	35.00	95.52
	V (2)		160,226.00
Total		428.76	162,007.48
Spain	I (1)	130.00	130.00
	(4)	25.00	25.00
Total		155.00	155.00
Straits Settlements	I (1)		9.12
Surinam	I (2)		11,644.50
	(4)		1.64
	IV (2)		2.47
Total			11,648.61
Sweden	I (2)		108,000.00
	(4)		65,572.00
	III (2)		4,000.00
	IV (2)		233,625.00
	V (2)		96,130.53
	(3)		247,298.00
Total			* 754,625.53
Switzerland	IV (1)		20.00

* The apparent discrepancy between the values reported for the arms, ammunition, and implements of war authorized to be exported to Sweden during the period Jan. 1-Aug. 31, 1940, and the corresponding figures for periods covered in previous press releases, is due to a number of licenses authorizing the exportation of arms, ammunition, and implements of war to Sweden which were canceled.

Country of destination	Category	Value of export licenses issued	
		August 1940	8 months ending August 31, 1940
Thailand.....	I (1)		\$27,800.00
	(4)	\$8.57	8.57
	III (1)		707,334.00
	(2)		1,543.84
	IV (1)	1,065.00	16,994.89
	(2)	61.52	61.52
	V (1)		97,200.00
	(2)	1,467.00	68,070.74
	(3)	9,190.00	165,190.00
Total.....		11,792.09	1,084,203.56
Trinidad.....	IV (1)		153.00
	V (2)		294.00
	(3)		18,625.00
	VII (1)		852.00
Total.....			19,924.00
Turkey.....	III (2)		5,610.00
	IV (1)		33.00
	(2)		6.20
	V (2)	24,000.00	139,760.00
	VII (2)	42,857.00	42,857.00
Total.....		66,857.00	188,266.20
Union of South Africa.....	I (1)		308.00
	(4)		620.93
	III (1)	280,400.00	454,000.00
	IV (1)		190,488.70
	(2)		36,257.00
	V (1)		2,936,030.00
	(2)	36,383.45	91,575.28
	(3)	8,500.00	328,260.00
	VII (1)		156.00
	(2)		40,228.00
Total.....		325,283.45	4,087,923.91
Uruguay.....	I (4)		260.00
	IV (1)		1,522.00
	(2)		6,887.30
	V (1)		53,600.00
	(2)		100.40
	VII (2)		600.00
Total.....			63,029.70
Venezuela.....	I (1)	43.00	184.20
	(2)		278.00
	(4)	27.00	69.55
	III (1)		163,970.00
	IV (1)	46.00	4,881.60
	(2)	1.25	192.70
	V (1)	19,000.00	113,860.00
	(2)	3,700.00	59,301.00
	(3)		95,270.00
	VII (1)	1,991.40	11,003.40
	(2)		19,277.40
Total.....		24,808.65	468,287.85

Country of destination	Category	Value of export licenses issued	
		August 1940	8 months ending August 31, 1940
Windward Islands.....	IV (2)	\$10.00	\$10.00
	VII (2)	108.30	135.37
Total.....		118.30	145.37
Yugoslavia.....	V (2)		9,411.75
	(3)		30,780.00
Total.....			40,191.75
Grand total.....		115,685,066.21	530,614,605.21

During the month of August, 438 arms-export licenses were issued, making a total of 3,153 such licenses issued during the current year.

ARMS EXPORTED

The table printed below indicates the character, value, and countries of destination of the arms, ammunition, and implements of war exported during the year 1940 up to and including the month of August under export licenses issued by the Secretary of State:

Country of destination	Category	Value of actual exports	
		August 1940	8 months ending August 31, 1940
Angola.....	I (4)		\$24.00
	V (1)		3,200.00
	(2)		495.00
Total.....			3,719.00
Argentina.....	I (2)	\$884.00	24,095.50
	(4)		240.00
	(5)		2,418.00
	IV (1)	3,550.00	7,802.00
	(2)		6,504.00
	V (1)	6,025.00	40,025.00
	(2)	250.00	53,480.48
	(3)		290,713.50
	VII (1)		29.84
	(2)	650.00	61,511.51
Total.....		11,359.00	486,819.83
Australia.....	I (1)		816.53
	(4)		458.08
	III (1)		7,806,135.00
	IV (1)		136.55
	(2)		509.00

Country of destination	Category	Value of actual exports	
		August 1940	8 months ending August 31, 1940
Australia—Continue 1.	V (1)		\$13,296.00
	(2)	\$182,124.00	588,323.00
	(3)	362,829.00	831,450.00
	VII (1)	15,200.00	33,474.86
Total.....		560,153.00	9,274,599.02
Bahrein Islands.....	IV (1)		138.00
Belgian Congo.....	I (4)		17.29
	IV (2)		1.87
Total.....			19.16
Belgium.....	I (1)		217.00
	(2)		49,450.00
	(4)		28,809.79
	III (1)		1,146,000.00
	IV (2)		86.00
	V (1)		20,745.00
	(2)		5,807.00
	(3)		119,997.00
Total.....			1,371,094.79
Bermuda.....	I (1)		48.00
	(4)		16.00
	IV (2)	35.00	35.00
	V (1)		8,000.00
	(2)	2,500.00	2,500.00
Total.....		2,535.00	10,599.00
Bolivia.....	I (4)	426.00	1,742.00
	IV (2)		1,285.00
	V (1)		19,000.00
	(2)		1,041.69
	(3)		58,741.00
	VII (1)	173.76	1,881.88
	(2)		1.50
Total.....		599.76	83,693.07
Brazil.....	I (1)	158.00	987.00
	(2)		5,438.00
	(4)	194.00	8,569.00
	III (1)		349,750.00
	IV (1)		18,462.75
	(2)	97.14	20,169.14
	V (1)	201,500.00	613,672.00
	(2)	13,068.80	117,303.63
	(3)	32,637.50	171,855.25
	VII (2)		2.00
Total.....		247,655.44	1,306,208.77
British Guiana.....	IV (2)		6.82
	V (3)	2,500.00	2,500.00
	VII (1)	791.16	1,108.84
Total.....		3,291.16	3,615.66

Country of destination	Category	Value of actual exports	
		August 1940	8 months ending August 31, 1940
British Honduras.....	IV (1)		\$15.00
	(2)		18.00
	VII (1)		129.20
	(2)		108.30
Total.....			270.50
Burma.....	I (1)		90.00
	(2)		400.00
	(4)		229.54
	IV (1)		472.00
	(2)		49.22
Total.....			1,240.76
Canada.....	I (1)	\$627,280.48	655,891.46
	(2)	58,888.47	126,394.47
	(3)		38,569.00
	(4)	166,979.06	272,202.59
	(5)	154.00	94,654.00
	III (1)	1,887,244.00	6,128,697.00
	(2)		248,581.31
	IV (1)	25,415.36	34,775.95
	(2)	107.82	73,213.59
	V (1)	26,670.00	520,704.57
	(2)	711,285.07	1,400,166.44
	(3)	592,854.30	3,711,428.24
	VI (2)	2.00	36,008.00
	VII (1)	15,125.47	117,812.77
	(2)		84,314.35
Total.....		4,112,006.93	13,543,413.74
Chile.....	I (2)		2,970.00
	(4)	18,384.00	18,770.00
	(5)		5,300.00
	(6)		3,630.00
	IV (1)		53,841.00
	(2)		5,351.00
	V (1)		3,500.00
	(2)	3,297.50	3,407.50
	(3)	29,732.00	52,678.00
	VII (2)		12,607.15
Total.....		51,413.50	162,054.65
China.....	I (1)		1,344.00
	(2)		468,005.00
	(3)		850.00
	(4)		23,753.00
	III (1)		1,148,654.57
	(2)	4,497.00	18,033.00
	IV (1)		268.60
	(2)		5,649.00
	V (1)		114,600.00
	(2)	25,419.00	1,333,432.50
	(3)	258,673.00	562,481.00
	VII (1)		334,724.00
	(2)		342,000.00
Total.....		288,589.00	4,353,794.67

Country of destination	Category	Value of actual exports	
		August 1940	8 months ending August 31, 1940
Colombia.....	I (1)	\$30.00	\$30.00
	(4)	112.00	177.00
	IV (1)	260.00	1,035.20
	(2)	38.00	1,831.76
	V (1)		348,350.00
	(2)		6,190.00
	(3)	5,702.00	35,592.00
	VII (1)		1,027.00
	(2)		1,965.00
	Total.....	6,142.00	397,097.96
Costa Rica.....	I (4)		4.00
	IV (1)		137.30
	(2)	120.00	136.25
	V (1)		25,000.00
	(2)		22,057.00
	(3)		27,376.00
	VII (1)		2,235.26
	(2)		51.00
	Total.....	120.00	76,996.81
Cuba.....	I (2)	70.00	70.00
	(4)	155.00	728.00
	III (1)		43,350.00
	IV (1)	390.00	2,445.50
	(2)	1,492.00	11,673.00
	V (1)	6,000.00	7,700.00
	(2)	540.00	8,895.00
	(3)		12,876.00
	VII (1)	757.52	8,377.72
	(2)		751.00
	Total.....	9,404.52	93,866.22
Curaçao.....	I (1)		585.00
	(4)		77.39
	IV (1)		654.50
	(2)		214.64
	V (1)		103,975.00
	(2)	135.50	903.50
	(3)	7,900.00	53,150.00
	VII (2)	5.00	22.50
	Total.....	8,040.50	159,582.53
Dominican Republic.....	I (2)	210.00	210.00
	IV (1)		854.00
	(2)		515.00
	V (2)		600.00
	VII (1)		1,501.80
	Total.....	210.00	3,680.80
Ecuador.....	I (1)		169.72
	(4)		226.00
	IV (1)		191.00
	(2)		16,418.00
	V (2)	1,022.00	1,022.00
	VII (2)		900.00
	Total.....	1,022.00	18,926.72

Country of destination	Category	Value of actual exports	
		August 1940	8 months ending August 31, 1940
Egypt.....	I (3)		\$2,680.00
	(4)		26.21
	IV (1)		3,519.00
	(2)		989.31
	V (2)		60.00
	Total.....		7,274.52
El Salvador.....	I (1)	\$125,000.00	125,052.00
	(4)	456.00	1,213.00
	III (1)		18,200.00
	IV (1)		76.00
	(2)	2,759.00	6,436.40
	V (2)		375.00
	VII (2)		8,350.00
	Total.....	128,215.00	159,702.40
Finland.....	I (2)		184,310.00
	(3)		436,694.00
	(4)		1,364,078.89
	III (1)		2,321,496.00
	IV (1)		951.50
	V (2)		120,681.00
	VII (2)		1,200,063.00
	Total.....		5,998,138.39
France.....	I (1)		201,228.00
	(2)		4,841,072.71
	(3)		506,047.00
	(4)		7,463,300.50
	(5)		499,000.00
	III (1)		53,907,979.00
	(2)		20,845.00
	IV (2)		368,315.00
	V (1)		546,000.00
	(2)		3,927,169.82
	(3)		10,345,538.00
	VII (1)		2.00
	(2)		56,593.00
	Total.....		82,683,090.03
French Indochina.....	I (4)		51.00
	IV (1)		3,836.00
	(2)		11.00
	Total.....		3,898.00
French West Africa.....	I (4)		33.83
	Total.....		33.83
Great Britain and Northern Ireland.....	I (1)	1,060.00	2,919,430.00
	(2)	239,606.00	5,003,451.55
	(3)	19,901.00	1,931,093.20
	(4)	340,745.38	7,930,339.38
	(5)	258,843.00	415,316.60
	III (1)	21,395,384.00	43,689,392.00
	(2)	20,654.00	20,654.00
	IV (1)	173,422.80	515,745.86
	(2)	172,177.55	365,391.55
	V (1)		8,000.00
	(2)	1,459,788.55	3,316,894.79
	(3)	6,370,824.88	9,270,588.48
	Total.....		9,270,588.48

Country of destination	Category	Value of actual exports	
		August 1940	8 months ending August 31, 1940
Great Britain and Northern Ireland—Continued.	VII (1)	\$69,038.00	\$7,937,305.06
	(2)	1,214,219.00	2,830,854.00
Total		31,735,664.16	86,154,456.47
Greece	I (3)		150.00
	(4)		50.00
Total			200.00
Greenland	I (1)		1,015.48
	(2)		578.30
	(3)		6,674.65
	(4)		1,731.57
	IV (1)	540.00	540.00
	(2)	105.00	105.00
Total		645.00	10,645.00
Guatemala	I (1)		37.00
	(4)		12.00
	IV (1)		159.00
	(2)		1,336.00
	VII (1)		226.80
	(2)	2,100.00	5,164.00
Total		2,100.00	6,934.80
Haiti	IV (1)		336.55
	(2)		23.00
	VII (1)		24.30
	(2)		6.0
Total			389.85
Honduras	I (4)	29.00	332.00
	IV (1)		388.00
	(2)	7.00	1,099.00
	V (1)	10,000.00	110,000.00
	(2)		3,213.00
	VII (2)		391.00
Total		10,036.00	115,423.00
Hong Kong	I (1)	23.00	23.00
	(4)	12.00	12.00
	IV (1)		7,363.00
	V (2)		5,196.00
Total		35.00	12,594.00
Iceland	IV (1)		1,920.00
	(2)		363.00
	V (1)		7,890.00
	(2)		763.00
	VII (2)		65.00
Total			11,001.00
India	I (1)		2,788.45
	(4)		7,041.96
	IV (1)		3,528.64
	(2)		1,095.31

Country of destination	Category	Value of actual exports	
		August 1940	8 months ending August 31, 1940
India—Continued.	V (1)		\$67,500.00
	(2)		1,336.40
	(3)		1,000.00
	VI (2)		929.00
Total			85,219.76
Iraq	III (1)		694,963.00
	(2)		27,165.00
	IV (1)		94.37
	(2)		25.85
Total			722,248.22
Ireland	V (1)		116,823.00
	(2)	\$3,270.60	3,270.60
	(3)	33,380.00	33,380.00
Total		36,650.60	153,473.60
Jamaica	IV (1)		346.00
	(2)		27.50
Total			373.50
Japan	V (2)		4,143.00
Kenya	IV (1)	516.00	618.00
Latvia	V (3)		18,077.00
Mauritius	I (1)		251.45
	(4)		337.28
Total			588.73
Mexico	I (1)		56.00
	(5)		112.50
	IV (1)	6,424.60	14,704.60
	(2)		476.00
	V (1)	39,542.40	417,382.40
	(2)	48.00	2,937.00
	(3)	1,000.00	14,505.00
	VI (2)	63.00	175.50
	VII (1)		16,207.50
	(2)	145.00	39,301.00
Total		47,223.00	505,857.50
Mozambique	I (1)		116.00
	(4)		154.61
	V (1)		282,000.00
	(2)	4,080.00	7,304.00
	(3)	55,710.00	55,710.00
Total		59,790.00	345,284.61
Netherlands	I (2)		26,653.00
	(4)		47.50
	(5)		155.00
	III (2)		9,674.00
	V (1)		107,740.00
	(2)		163,472.50
	(3)		187,137.50
Total			494,879.50

Country of destination	Category	Value of actual exports	
		August 1940	8 months ending August 31, 1940
Netherlands Indies.....	I (2)	\$16,806.00	\$92,484.00
	(4)	15,112.00	16,359.77
	(5)		281,075.00
	III (1)	61,160.00	1,570,958.00
	(2)	440.00	740.00
	IV (1)		40,639.35
	(2)	202.38	1,513.20
	V (1)		334,677.00
	(2)	81,423.00	234,331.00
	(3)	82,446.00	213,195.00
	VII (2)	50,169.30	188,169.30
Total.....		307,758.68	2,974,141.62
New Caledonia.....	I (4)		203.00
Newfoundland.....	I (1)		118.50
	(4)		95.24
	IV (1)	1,271.00	1,934.50
	(2)	19.92	215.82
Total.....		1,290.92	2,364.06
New Guinea, Territory of.....	IV (2)		17.25
	V (2)	1,000.00	2,500.00
Total.....		1,000.00	2,517.25
New Zealand.....	I (4)	24,301.00	26,615.00
	IV (1)		202.00
	V (2)		2,371.15
	(3)		2,540.00
	VII (1)	5,395.00	11,386.00
Total.....		29,696.00	43,114.15
Nicaragua.....	I (1)		34,827.00
	(2)		8,267.00
	(4)		1,264.00
	IV (2)		4,035.00
	V (2)		480.00
	(3)		870.00
	VII (1)		1,292.00
Total.....			51,035.00
Nigeria.....	I (2)	278.50	278.50
	(4)		33.00
	IV (2)	8.00	8.00
Total.....		286.50	319.50
Northern Rhodesia.....	IV (1)		25.50
Norway.....	I (1)		70.00
	(2)		285.00
	(4)		36,493.20
	III (1)		1,354,114.00
	(2)		280.00
	IV (1)		30.00
	(2)		137.00
	V (1)		2,200.00
	(2)		644.00
Total.....			1,394,253.20

Country of destination	Category	Value of actual exports	
		August 1940	8 months ending August 31, 1940
Palestine.....	V (3)		\$400.00
Panama.....	I (1)		12,500.00
	(2)		3,900.00
	(4)		8,700.00
	IV (1)		8,781.75
	(2)		1,207.00
	V (1)	\$2,866.00	21,807.13
	(2)	100.00	174.00
	(3)	800.00	1,447.00
	VII (1)		2,915.60
Total.....		3,766.00	61,432.48
Paraguay.....	I (4)	101.80	384.80
	IV (2)	3,286.00	11,215.45
Total.....		3,387.80	11,600.25
Peru.....	IV (1)		7,361.00
	(2)		240.00
	V (1)		387,810.00
	(2)		15,872.00
	(3)		62,617.00
	VII (1)		1,000.00
	(2)		1,131.00
Total.....			476,031.00
Portugal.....	I (1)		51.80
	(4)		44.00
	III (1)		877,298.00
	IV (1)		30.00
	(2)		422.00
	V (1)		4,663.00
	(2)	220.00	44,235.91
	(3)		54,265.00
	VII (1)	486.00	841.78
Total.....		706.00	981,851.47
Rumania.....	V (2)		600.00
Saudi Arabia.....	V (2)		760.00
Southern Rhodesia.....	I (1)	315.60	495.60
	(2)		227.50
	(4)	88.50	352.50
	IV (1)		82.00
	(2)	60.52	121.04
	V (2)	13,300.00	13,300.00
Total.....		13,764.62	14,578.64
Straits Settlements.....	I (1)		9.12
Surinam.....	I (2)		11,644.50
	(4)		1.64
	IV (2)		2.47
	VII (1)		193.80
Total.....			11,842.41
Sweden.....	I (2)		108,000.00
	(4)		65,307.00

Country of destination	Category	Value of actual exports	
		August 1940	8 months ending August 31, 1940
Sweden—Continued.	III (1)		\$3,724,925.00
	(2)		4,000.00
	IV (2)	\$89,000.00	133,501.00
	V (1)		65,000.00
	(2)	11,520.00	212,923.98
	(3)		247,267.00
Total.....		100,520.00	4,560,923.98
Thailand.....	I (1)		17.65
	(4)		1.93
	III (1)	468,361.00	468,361.00
	(2)	1,543.84	1,543.84
	IV (1)	893.00	16,380.89
	V (1)		5,300.00
	(2)	9,420.00	13,015.00
	(3)		193,120.00
Total.....		480,217.84	697,740.31
Trinidad.....	IV (1)		153.00
	(2)		18.00
	V (2)		3,094.00
	(3)		18,625.00
	VII (1)		852.00
Total.....			22,742.00
Turkey.....	I (2)		148,135.00
	(5)		158,750.00
	III (1)		1,191,084.00
	(2)		17,070.00
	IV (1)		14,236.00
	(2)		1,306.20
	V (2)	45,997.00	233,795.10
	(3)		70,344.00
Total.....		45,997.00	1,834,720.30
Union of South Africa.....	I (1)		296.00
	(4)		585.93
	III (1)		173,600.00
	IV (1)	21,925.00	91,588.70
	(2)		7.00
	V (1)	401,625.00	411,228.00
	(2)	12,775.00	24,806.64
	(3)	81,175.00	87,175.00
	VII (1)		156.00
	(2)		40,064.00
Total.....		517,500.00	829,487.27
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics.....	V (3)		120,512.00
Uruguay.....	I (4)		299.00
	IV (1)		1,522.00
	(2)	1,068.00	4,146.30
	V (1)		35,104.00
	(2)	20.40	100.40
	VII (2)		660.00
Total.....		1,088.40	41,831.70

Country of destination	Category	Value of actual exports	
		August 1940	8 months ending August 31, 1940
Venezuela.....	I (1)		\$111.40
	(2)		246.00
	(4)		39.00
	III (1)		167,970.00
	IV (1)		3,316.60
	(2)		191.45
	V (1)	\$1,800.00	94,783.00
	(2)		28,271.00
	(3)	3,000.00	82,131.00
	VII (1)	2,317.53	11,807.01
	(2)		15,890.40
Total.....		7,117.53	404,756.86
Yugoslavia.....	V (1)		63,000.00
	(2)		26,806.75
	(3)		31,080.00
Total.....			120,886.75
Grand total.....		38,837,513.86	223,506,654.19

ARMS IMPORT LICENSES ISSUED

The table printed below indicates the character, value, and countries of origin of the arms, ammunition, and implements of war licensed for import by the Secretary of State during the month of August 1940:

Country of origin	Category	Value	Total
Argentina.....	V (2)	\$750.00	\$750.00
Canada.....	I (2)	2,650.00	
	(3)	250.00	
	(4)	227.00	
	III (1)	3,500.00	
	V (2)	20.00	16,148.00
	(3)	9,500.00	
	VII (1)	1.00	
Dominican Republic.....	I (1)	37.00	37.00
El Salvador.....	V (2)	100.00	100.00
Great Britain.....	I (4)	1,285.00	1,285.00
Venezuela.....	V (2)	2,733.00	6,733.00
	(3)	4,000.00	
Total.....			25,053.00

During the month of August, 16 import licenses were issued, making a total of 145 such licenses issued during the current year.

CATEGORIES OF ARMS, AMMUNITION, AND IMPLEMENTS OF WAR

The categories of arms, ammunition, and implements of war in the appropriate column

of the tables printed above are the categories into which those articles were divided in the President's proclamation of May 1, 1937, enumerating the articles which would be considered as arms, ammunition, and implements of war for the purposes of section 5 of the joint resolution of May 1, 1937 [see the *Bulletin* of July 27, 1940 (vol. III, no. 57), pp. 58-59].

SPECIAL STATISTICS IN REGARD TO ARMS EXPORTS TO CUBA

In compliance with article II of the convention between the United States and Cuba to suppress smuggling, signed at Habana, March 11, 1926, which reads in part as follows:

"The High Contracting Parties agree that clearance of shipments of merchandise by water, air, or land, from any of the ports of either country to a port of entry of the other country, shall be denied when such shipment comprises articles the importation of which is prohibited or restricted in the country to which such shipment is destined, unless in this last case there has been a compliance with the requisites demanded by the laws of both countries."

and in compliance with the laws of Cuba which restrict the importation of arms, ammunition, and implements of war of all kinds by requiring an import permit for each shipment, export licenses for shipments of arms, ammunition, and implements of war to Cuba are required for the articles enumerated below in addition to the articles enumerated in the President's proclamation of May 1, 1937;

(1) Arms and small arms using ammunition of caliber .22 or less, other than those classed as toys.

(2) Spare parts of arms and small arms of all kinds and calibers, other than those classed as toys, and of guns and machine guns.

(3) Ammunition for the arms and small arms under (1) above.

(4) Sabers, swords, and military machetes with cross-guard hilts.

(5) Explosives as follows: explosive powders of all kinds for all purposes; nitrocellu-

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lose having a nitrogen content of 12 percent or less; diphenylamine; dynamite of all kinds; nitroglycerine; alkaline nitrates (ammonium, potassium, and sodium nitrate); nitric acid; nitrobenzene (essence or oil of mirbane); sulphur; sulphuric acid; chlorate of potash; and acetones.

(6) Tear gas ($C_6H_5COCH_2Cl$) and other similar non-toxic gases and apparatus designed for the storage or projection of such gases.

The table printed below indicates, in respect to licenses authorizing the exportation to Cuba of the articles and commodities listed in the preceding paragraph, issued by the Secretary of State during August 1940, the number of licenses and the value of the articles and commodities described in the licenses:

Number of licenses	Sections	Value	Total
22.....	(2)	\$11.00	} \$25,223.25
	(3)	7,006.40	
	(5)	18,205.85	

The table printed below indicates the value of the articles and commodities listed above exported to Cuba during August 1940 under licenses issued by the Secretary of State:

Section	Value	Total
(1).....	\$582.00	} \$28,790.35
(2).....	45.00	
(3).....	9,725.00	
(5).....	18,437.45	

TIN-PLATE SCRAP

The table printed below indicates the number of licenses issued during the year 1940, up to and including the month of August, authorizing the export of tin-plate scrap under the provisions of the act approved February 15, 1936, and the regulations issued pursuant thereto, together with the number of tons authorized to be exported and the value thereof:

Country of destination	August 1940		8 months ending August 31, 1940	
	Quantity in long tons	Total value	Quantity in long tons	Total value
Japan.....	-----	-----	4,033	\$75,009.70

During the month of August, no licenses were issued authorizing the exportation of tinplate scrap. A total of 52 such licenses were issued during the first seven months of the current year.

HELIUM

No licenses authorizing the exportation of helium gas under the provisions of the act approved on September 1, 1937, and the regulations issued pursuant thereto, were applied for or issued during the month of August 1940.

The Foreign Service

PERSONNEL CHANGES

[Released to the press September 18]

The following changes have occurred in the Foreign Service since September 7, 1940:

CAREER OFFICERS

Lynn W. Franklin, of Bethesda, Md., Consul at Stockholm, Sweden, has been assigned as Consul at Niagara Falls, Ont., Canada.

Walter H. McKinney, of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Consul at Sheffield, England, has been assigned as Consul at London, England, upon the closing of the American Consulate at Sheffield, England.

Eugene A. Masuret, of New Jersey, Third Secretary of Embassy and Vice Consul at Paris, France, has been assigned as Vice Consul at Bordeaux, France.

Ernest de W. Mayer, of Flushing, Long Island, N. Y., Third Secretary of Embassy and Vice Consul at Paris, France, has been assigned as Vice Consul at Casablanca, Morocco.

NON-CAREER OFFICERS

Jones R. Trowbridge, of Augusta, Ga., Vice Consul at Moscow, Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, has been appointed Vice Consul at Toronto, Ont., Canada.

Worthington E. Hagerman, of Maryland, Vice Consul at Paris, France, has been appointed Vice Consul at Bordeaux, France.

Henry O. Ramsey, of Pierre, S. Dak., Vice Consul at Sheffield, England, has been appointed Vice Consul at Manchester, England, upon the closing of the office at Sheffield, England.

The following American Consulates, which were established for the purpose of performing non-immigrant visa services only, will be closed September 30, 1940:

American Consulate, Kingston, Ont., Canada.

American Consulate, Fort Erie, Ont., Canada.

American Consulate, Sherbrooke, Que., Canada.

American Consulate, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Canada.

Regulations

The following Government regulations may be of interest to readers of the *Bulletin*:

Visas; Documents Required of Bona Fide Alien Seamen Entering the United States. (Department of State.) September 16, 1940. *Federal Register*, September 19, 1940 (vol. 5, no. 183), p. 3740 (The National Archives of the United States).

Sugar Consumption Requirements and Quotas for the Calendar Year 1940. (Agricultural Adjustment Administration.) September 18, 1940. *Federal Register*, September 19, 1940 (vol. 5, no. 183), p. 3739-3740 (The National Archives of the United States).

Treaty Information

Compiled in the Treaty Division

EXTRADITION

Supplementary Extradition Treaty With Switzerland

The American Minister to Switzerland reported by a telegram dated September 19, 1940 that the Swiss Parliament approved on September 18, 1940 the ratification of the Supplementary Extradition Treaty between the United States and Switzerland signed on January 31, 1940. The supplementary treaty amends the extradition treaties between the two countries of May 14, 1900 and January 10, 1935 (Treaty Series Nos. 354 and 889).

TELECOMMUNICATIONS

North American Regional Broadcasting Agreement

In order to carry out the provisions of the North American Regional Broadcasting Agreement, signed at Habana on December 13, 1937, which agreement will enter into force on March 29, 1941, the Rules and Regulations of the Federal Communications Commission were amended and new regulations prescribing the restrictions and conditions necessary to carry out the provisions of the agreement were adopted. The notice of the amendment of the rules is printed on page 3696 of the *Federal Register* of September 17, 1940 (vol. 5, no. 181), and the amended rules are printed in the same issue on pages 3670-3671. These rules govern standard and high-frequency broadcast stations and will become effective on the effective date of the agreement, namely, March 29, 1941.

The United States has furnished the other governments signatory to the agreement—Canada, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Haiti, and Mexico—with lists of “broadcast stations actu-

ally in operation”, the “changes authorized to be made with respect to said stations”, and “new broadcast stations authorized but not yet in operation”, as required under article III of the agreement. This information is required to be furnished by each party ratifying the agreement “not later than 180 days prior to the effective date thereof”. The latest date on which such information is to be received is September 29, 1940.

RESTRICTION OF WAR

Convention for the Amelioration of the Condition of the Wounded and the Sick of Armies in the Field (Treaty Series No. 847) and Convention Relating to the Treatment of Prisoners of War (Treaty Series No. 846)

Bolivia

By a note dated September 10, 1940, the Swiss Minister at Washington informed the Secretary of State of the deposit on August 13, 1940, of the instruments of ratification by Bolivia of the Convention for the Amelioration of the Condition of the Wounded and the Sick of Armies in the Field and the Convention Relating to the Treatment of Prisoners of War, both signed at Geneva on July 27, 1929. According to the terms of the conventions, they will enter into force in respect of Bolivia on February 13, 1941.

Legislation

An Act To provide for the common defense by increasing the personnel of the armed forces of the United States and providing for its training. (Public. No. 783, 76th Cong., 3d sess.) 14 pp. 5¢.

Publications

The following Government publications may be of interest to readers of the *Bulletin*:

China Trade Act, 1922, with regulations and forms. Edition of 1935, with amendments as of Feb. 26, 1925, and June 25, 1938. (Department of Commerce: Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce.) 1940. ii, 29 pp. [Regulations as amended Sept. 11, 1936.] 5¢.

United States imports and trade agreements concessions: Statistics of United States imports in selected years from 1931-39 for each product upon which United States has granted concession in trade agreements, together with rates of tariff duty before and after concession. (Tariff Commission.) Feb. 1940. 8 vols. 978 leaves (processed). Free (from Commission).

United States imports in 1939 of products on which concessions were granted in trade agreements. (Tariff Commission.) Apr. 1940. 168 leaves (processed). [This report, containing preliminary import statistics for entire year 1939, supplements the above eight volumes, which contain statistics for only 11 months of 1939.] Free (from Commission).

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